

# Isaiah 26

Alte englische Darby-Übersetzung



**1** In that day shall this song be sung in the land of Judah: We have a strong city; salvation doth he appoint for walls and bulwarks. **2** Open ye the gates, and the righteous nation which keepeth faithfulness shall enter in. **3** Thou wilt keep in perfect peace the mind stayed on thee, for he confideth in thee. **4** Confide ye in Jehovah for ever; for in Jah, Jehovah, is the rock of ages.

**5** For he bringeth down them that dwell on high; the lofty city, he layeth it low, he layeth it low to the ground, he bringeth it even to the dust. **6** The foot shall tread it down, --the feet of the afflicted, the steps of the poor. **7** The way of the just is uprightness: thou, the Upright, dost make the path of the just even. **8** Yea, in the way of thy judgments, O Jehovah, have we waited for thee; the desire of our soul is to thy name, and to thy memorial. **9** With my soul have I desired thee in the night; yea, with my spirit within me I seek thee early: for when thy judgments are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world learn righteousness. **10** If favour be shewn to the wicked, he doth not learn righteousness: in the land of uprightness he dealeth unjustly, and beholdeth not the majesty of Jehovah. **11** Jehovah, thy hand is lifted up, but they do not see: yet they shall see thy jealousy for the people, and be ashamed; yea, the fire which is for thine adversaries shall devour them.

**12** Jehovah, thou wilt ordain peace for us; for thou also hast wrought all our works for us. **13** Jehovah our God, other lords than thee have had dominion over us; by thee only will we make mention of thy name. **14** They are dead, they shall not live; deceased, they shall not rise: for thou hast visited and destroyed them, and made all memory of them to perish. **15** Thou hast increased the nation, Jehovah, thou hast increased the nation: thou art glorified. Thou hadst removed it far unto all the ends of the earth. **16** Jehovah, in trouble they sought thee; they poured out their whispered prayer when thy chastening was upon them. **17** As a woman with child, that draweth near her delivery, is in travail, and crieth out in her pangs; so have we been before thee, Jehovah. **18** We have been with child, we have been in travail, we have as it were brought forth wind; we have not wrought the deliverance of the land, neither have the inhabitants of the world fallen. **19** Thy dead shall live, my dead bodies shall arise. Awake and sing in triumph, ye that dwell in dust; for thy dew is the dew of the morning, and the earth shall cast forth the dead.

**20** Come, my people, enter into thy chambers, and shut thy doors about thee; hide thyself just for a little moment, until the indignation be past. **21** For behold, Jehovah cometh out of his place to visit the iniquity of the inhabitants of the earth upon them; and the earth shall disclose her blood, and shall no more cover her slain.